

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet	1	of	2
-------	---	----	---

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/719,409
Filing Date	November 22, 2003
First Named Inventor	FURTEK, Frederick
Art Unit	2182
Examiner Name	Scott C. Sun
Attorney Docket Number	NVDA/P002849

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Document Number	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number: *Kind Code ² (if known)			
	A1	US-4,758,985	07-19-1988	CARTER, William S.	
	A2	US-4,905,231	02-27-1990	LEUNG et al.	
	A3	US-5,144,166	09-01-1992	CAMAROTA et al.	
	A4	US-5,213,240	06-08-1993	CAMAROTA et al.	
	A5	US-5,245,227	09-14-1993	FURTEK et al.	
	A6	US-5,336,950	08-09-1994	POPLI et al.	
	A7	US-5,388,042	02-07-1995	KNUTSON, Paul G.	
	A8	US-5,450,557	09-12-1995	KOPP et al.	
	A9	US-5,646,544	07-08-1997	IADANZA, Joseph A.	
	A10	US-5,729,754	03-17-1998	ESTES, Mark D.	
	A11	US-5,737,631	04-07-1998	TRIMBERGER, Stephen M.	
	A12	US-5,796,957	08-18-1998	YAMAMOTO et al.	
	A13	US-5,802,055	09-01-1999	KREIN et al.	
	A14	US-5,828,858	10-27-1998	ATHANAS et al.	
	A15	US-5,889,816	03-30-1999	AGRAWAL et al.	
	A16	US-5,892,961	04-06-1999	TRIMBERGER, Stephen M.	
	A17	US-5,907,580	05-25-1999	CUMMINGS, Mark R.	
	A18	US-5,910,733	06-08-1999	BERTOLET et al.	
	A19	US-5,959,591	09-28-1999	TRIMBERGER et al.	
	A20	US-5,983,048	10-05-1999	HARRISON et al.	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

[illegible]

Examiner Signature		Date Considered	
-----------------------	--	--------------------	--

* EXAMINER. Include if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 809. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Initial copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 2 of 2

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/719,409
Filing Date	November 22, 2003
First Named Inventor	FURTEK, Frederick
Art Unit	2182
Examiner Name	Scott C. Sun
Attorney Docket Number	NVDA/P002849

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Document Number	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number - Kind Code ² (if known)			
	A21	US-5,970,254	10-19-1999	COOKE et al.	
	A22	US-5,966,534	10-12-1999	COOKE et al.	
	A23	US-6,023,742	02-08-2000	EBELING et al.	
	A24	US-6,094,065	06-26-2000	TAVANA et al.	
	A25	US-6,088,043	07-11-2000	KELLEHER et al.	
	A26	US-6,119,178	09-12-2000	MARTIN et al.	
	A27	US-6,120,551	09-19-2000	LAW et al.	
	A28	US-6,150,838	11-21-2000	WITTIG et al.	
	A29	US-6,230,307	05-06-2001	DAVIS et al.	
	A30	US-6,237,029	05-22-2001	MASTER et al.	
	A31	US-6,266,760	07-24-2001	DeHon et al.	
	A32	US-6,282,627	08-28-2001	WONG et al.	
	A33	US-6,353,841	03-05-2002	MARSHALL et al.	
	A34	US-6,381,293	04-30-2002	LEE et al.	
	A35	US-6,408,039	06-18-2002	ITO, Katsutoshi	
	A36	US-6,426,649	07-30-2002	FU et al.	
	A37	US-6,433,578	08-13-2002	WASSON, Stephen L.	
	A38	US-6,483,343	11-19-2002	FAITH et al.	
	A39	US-2002/0184275	12-05-2002	DUTTA et al.	
	A40	US-6,510,138	01-21-2003	PANNELL, Donald Robert	
	A41	US-6,859,434	02-22-2005	SEGAL et al.	
	A42	US-6,841,338	09-06-2005	MAR, Monte	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	* ⁶
		Country Code ³ - Number ⁴ - Kind Code ⁵ (if known)				

Examiner
SignatureDate
Considered

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 608. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22314-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.